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SUBJ: REQUEST FOR BUNKER "C" PRICE QUOTATIONS

REF: STATE 038289

1. POSTED PRICE SYDNEY OF BUNKER "C" FUEL OIL COB
28 FEB 1974 IS US77 PER TON. PER BARREL PRICE
NOT USED SYDNEY BUT USUALLY CONVERTED ONE TON EQUALS
6.86 BARRELS.

2. OPINION OF OIL COMPANIES IS THAT PRESENTLY NO
DISCOUNTS ARE GIVEN ON CONTRACTS AND PRICE IS SAME AS
PARA ONE.

3. NO INFORMATION ABLE TO BE DEVELOPED ON "BLACK MARKET"
OPERATIONS BUT THOUGHT TO BE NON-EXISTENT.

4. "CONFERENCE" SURCHARGE ON CARGO TO US FROM SYDNEY
BECAUSE OF INCREASED BUNKERING COSTS IS 12.43 PERCENT OF
FREIGHT RATE.

5. ONE US OIL COMPANY REPORTS THAT ALL SYDNEY-BASED
COMPANIES ARE ONLY SUPPLYING FUEL OIL TO REGULAR
CUSTOMERS EXCEPT THAT THE AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT REQUIRES
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FUEL OIL TO BE SOLD TO ALL SHIPS EXPORTING GRAIN FROM

AUSTRALIA WITHOUT REGARD TO PRIOR BUSINESS.

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